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	Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.								
		A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.							
		A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for \$\infty\$ \$55.00 \$\infty\$ \$110.00 to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.							
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